

11/03/05

ITW

TRANSMITTAL

PATENT



Application No.: 10/749,690  
 Filing Date: Dec. 30, 2003  
 First Named Inventor: John B. Halbert  
 Examiner's Name: Michael Thanh Tran  
 Art Unit: 2827  
 Confirmation No.: 2187  
 Attorney Docket No.: 42P17989X

- ☐ An Amendment After Final Action (37 CFR 1.116) is attached and applicant(s) request expedited action.
- ☒ Charge any fee not covered by any check submitted to Deposit Account No. 02-2666.
- ☒ Applicant(s) hereby request and authorize the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office to (1) treat any concurrent or future reply that requires a petition for extension of time as incorporating a petition for extension of time for the appropriate length of time and (2) charge all required fees, including extension of time fees and fees under 37 CFR 1.16 and 1.17, for any concurrent or future reply to Deposit Account No. 02-2666.
- ☐ Applicant(s) claim small entity status (37 CFR 1.27).

**ATTACHMENTS**

- ☒ Postcard (Return Receipt)
- ☐ Fee Transmittal Document (that includes a fee calculation based on the type and number of claims)
- ☐ Check(s)
- ☐ Petition for Extension of Time
- ☐ Response to Missing Parts
- ☐ Amendment/Response with respect to Office Action
- ☐ Amendment/Response After Final Action (37 CFR 1.116) (reminder: consider filing a Notice of Appeal)
- ☐ Notice of Appeal
- ☐ RCE (Request for Continued Examination)
- ☐ Supplemental Declaration
- ☐ Terminal Disclaimer (reminder: if executed by an attorney, the attorney must be properly of record)
- ☒ Information Disclosure Statement (IDS)
- ☒ Copies of IDS citations
- ☐ Cross-Reference to Related Application(s)
- ☐ Certified Copy of Priority Document
- ☐ Other: \_\_\_\_\_
- ☐ Other: \_\_\_\_\_

**SUBMITTED BY:**

BLAKELY SOKOLOFF TAYLOR &amp; ZAFMAN LLP

TYPED OR PRINTED NAME: Tatiana V. Rossin

SIGNATURE:

REG. NO.: 56,833

DATE: November 1, 2005

ADDRESS: 12400 Wilshire Boulevard, Seventh Floor

Los Angeles, California 90025

TELEPHONE NO.: (408) 720-8300

**CERTIFICATE OF MAILING BY FIRST CLASS MAIL (if applicable)**

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first class mail with sufficient postage in an envelope addressed to the Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria Virginia 22313-1450 on

November 1, 2005

Date of Deposit

David Castro

Name of Person Mailing Correspondence

November 1, 2005

Date

Express Mail Label No. (if applicable): EV 471134386 US

Send to: COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

(10/14/03)